

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant(s) : PEKARSKI et al.  
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Title: **METHOD AND CIRCUIT ARRANGEMENT FOR OPERATING A DISCHARGE  
LAMP**

**AMENDMENT and/or RESPONSE after FINAL ACTION**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office action of 2 April 2009, please amend the above referenced application as follows and/or reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

**This paper includes** (each beginning on a separate sheet):

- 1. Amendments to and/or listing of the claims;**
- 2. Remarks / Discussion of issues.**